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Campaign For Council Seats Opens Sunday

Nomination for positions on the Marin City Council open this Sunday, February 4, and close at noon, February 14, according to announcement this week by the election committee. Election day will be Wednesday, February 21, in the Community House lobby.

All residents of Marin City, of 21 years of age or older, are eligible for the office of councilman or woman. The simple details of how to place your name or the name of your neighbor on the ballot are given on the nomination petition blanks which can be found at the rental office, Community House lobby, and Bldgs. 401, or 402.

There are nine council seats to be filled at this election. In Apartment District A, there are two positions. Incumbents are W. C. Billingsley, who has announced he will not run again for office; and Alex Murphy who has not announced his intentions.

In District B, there are also two positions open. The incumbents are Ed Anderson and Jess Draper. Draper has announced his decision to run for re-election. Anderson has not stated his intentions.

DEL TREDICI RESIGNS

In District C, there is one vacancy, caused by the resignation of Walter Del Tredici who has declined to run again because he is now working a double shift in the paymaster's department at Marinship.

There are four vacancies in Dist. D, where three councilmen have announced their intention of running for re-election. These men are Earl James, Jess Berry and John Walton. A vacant seat on council leaves one position with no nominee declared.

Old Time Dance Is Scheduled For February 11

Mrs. Edith Nichols' orchestra will play at the old time dance in Marin City Sunday, February 11, 8 p.m. to 12 midnight.

Charlie Kingdon, chairman of the new group, invites the public to attend. Admission is 50 cents.

The orchestra, new to Marin City, is a popular musical organization in San Francisco where it attracts several hundred enthusiasts every Saturday night.

The local Recreation Committee is sponsoring the dance.

Liquor Salesman Arrested For Lack of License

Operating as a one-man-walking-bar, Coto Dishman, a soldier from Hamilton Field, was doing a brisk business at the dance here last Sunday night, selling drinks at a dollar a "shot."

Utilizing the washroom as his place of business, Pvt. Dishman was serving a long line of customers when Deputy Frank Matthews interrupted the enterprise.

He was booked in the county jail for selling liquor without a license, and later turned over to military authorities at Hamilton Field.

Double V

Marin City's Double V Club will meet this Sunday, February 4, at 1 p.m. in the Community House lounge. All members and the public are invited to attend.

Directory, Map Now Installed At Community House

A directory of Marin City residents and a map of the project are now installed on the outside wall of the rental office at the Community House. Heads of families are listed alphabetically with house and apartment numbers.

Residents are advised to direct strangers to the new service, for the simplest method of finding local addresses.

However, housing project management warned that only the head of the family listed with the rental office is posted. Persons living with relatives and friends here will not be found on the list.

High Tides, Plus Rain, Flood City

Wind, rain, and high tide brought floods in Marin City yesterday and today which were reminiscent of the first winter months of this war housing project.

"But it's strictly a temporary situation," said Jerry Cramer, maintenance supervisor. "The drainage system which is in operation here is controlled by flood gates which close when the tide is high—keeping bay waters out of Marin City. When the tide recedes, the gates open and the surface water drains away."

The ditches, which carry water from the hills through town were clogged during the first hours of the rains, but maintenance men went on the job during the morning and most of them were again in operation by yesterday afternoon.

"There were three main articles of obstruction which we located in the ditches," said Craner. "They were the cement sacks which children had knocked off the retaining walls into ditches, crosswalks which residents installed across the drains and which wind and rain knocked down into the water, and Christmas trees — we found near 50 trees which had been washed into the ditches and stopped them up."

A mess sergeant has been selected as Soldier of the Week by a Texas camp.

Donors Register Now For Blood Bank Day Here

All eligible blood donors of Marin City are urged to sign up tomorrow or early next week for appointments with the Red Cross Mobile Unit, which comes to Marin City on Friday, February 9.

Red Cross staff assistants will be at a desk in the rental office tomorrow, February 3 from 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. for your registration.

Monday and Tuesday, February 5 and 6, the desk there will be staffed from 9 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

Walt Disney Cartoon At Adult Movie

Walt Disney's "Defense Against Invasion," a cartoon on smallpox vaccination, heads the film program at next Thursday's adult movie in the Community House at 8 p.m.

Also on the program is "Day of Battle," story of an aircraft carrier — how she was built and how she was destroyed by the Japanese in a battle in the South Pacific. The picture is released by the Office of War Information.

A musical "Last Dogie," and "World We Want to Live In", complete the evening's entertainment.

All residents are invited to attend the movies free of charge.

Children will be admitted only when accompanied by their parents.

New Deputy Joins Sheriff's Force

Louis J. Lenci, former San Quentin guard and member of the Sausalito police force, is the new deputy sheriff in Marin City. He joined the local office this week, replacing C. P. Rankin who resigned February 1.

Lenci, whose home town is Sacramento, is now a resident with his family at San Quentin village.

South American Adventure Told By Visiting Seaman

Four years stationed aboard a destroyer in enemy waters are easily forgotten by Floyd W. Leonard, chief yoeman, when he settles down to an armchair discussion of his shore adventures in Rio de Janeiro.

Leonard is in Marin City enjoying a 10-day leave with his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Billingsley.

As he explained, in a soft southern drawl, "It isn't that I don't like to talk about my experiences aboard ship, but because we're all instructed not to give any information concerning battles, ships or places."

Nevertheless, he touched briefly on seeing a survivor of a torpedoed ship rescued by his destroyer, the sights and sounds of a sister ship being torpedoed.

But on the subject of his ship's reception in the Brazilian port, Leonard was able to talk and talk freely.

"As our ship was one of a very few which has docked down there, the people really turned out to give us a good time. The wife of the country's president came aboard our first day in port, accompanied by members of a feminine defense unit.

"Those girls must have been chosen on the basis of beauty because everyone of them was gorgeous. Before they arrived, our officers instructed us carefully in decorum, emphasizing no whistling at the girls.

"So when they came aboard we were all very careful and politely accepted the packages of food and cigarettes which were distributed to all the men.

"Then when we opened the packages, we discovered each girl had enclosed her address, and phone number. So when we got ashore, we looked them up and were greeted as though we were in our home towns," grinned Leonard.

The seaman from South Carolina declares himself anxious to call upon our southern neighbors after the war, where, he says, life is patterned almost completely on ways of the United States.

In the meantime, Leonard will stay in Marin City until this Sunday, when he'll leave for shore duty on some unnamed base in the Southern Pacific.

Council Advises Reforms in Care Of Mentally Sick

Three recommendations for improved treatment of mental patients were approved at a special meeting of the Marin City Council Monday night. The requests, to be sent to the Marin County Board of Supervisors, were formulated by the Medical Committee after a thorough review of last week's case in Marin City when a deputy struck a mental patient en route to the San Rafael jail.

Expressing deep shock at the beating, the communication expressed certainty that "Sheriff Walter Sellmer will summarily dismiss his deputy, George Lawson, from his force."

The council letter, however, pointed out that additional actions are needed to prevent similar brutality in the future. Citing the increase in the number of veterans who are returning as psycopathic cases, the council declared:

"We owe it to them and to ourselves to see that everything possible is done now so that they may be skillfully and healingly dealt with when it is necessary to do so."

TRAINING

The first recommendation urges the Board of Supervisors to hold a discussion with Sheriff Walter Sellmer, requesting the sheriff to train his force in police work generally and in the care and handling of mentally ill persons, particularly.

Stressing that mentally ill persons are not criminals, the request says:

"Psychiatrists agree that when dealt with as if they were criminals and physical violence is resorted to, their chance to recover is seriously retarded if not eliminated altogether. When mentally ill persons are properly understood and handled, no resort to physical violence is necessary, even in self defense."

DETENTION

The second recommendation, supported by council urges that arrangements be made immediately so that mentally ill persons awaiting commitment are not confined in jail.

"Ill persons belong in hospitals, not in jail," says the statement. 'To hold them in jail is an indignity upon their persons and surely retarding to their recovery.

LEGISLATION

The third recommendation concerns the bill, now pending before the State legislature, to amend the State commitment act. This amendment would permit mentally ill persons to be taken directly by the trained staffs of state institutions to a state institution before commitment by court procedure has been completed.

The letter to the county board concludes with a recommendation that it bring to the attention of Marin County's state legislators the results of their investigation of this case, and that they actively support the bill.

Dimes Drive Going Well In Our Town

Three Marin City organizations this week reported substantial contributions to the town's March of Dimes Campaign. The Teeners Club raised $22.25 from proceeds of their own dance, the Women's Club contributed approximately $80 through a Kleenex contest, and the Marin City Council will turn in $123 from the President's Birthday Ball which they sponsored here last Sunday.

These benefits for the National Foundation, Infantile Paralysis are in addition to collections from boxes placed in the commercial area and each classroom at the Marin City school.

Mrs. J. B. Wilker, chairman, reports that the campaign has been extended to mid-February, and that a final accounting cannot be given until then.

"With the fine showing we have made already, I expect Marin City to go away over the top," Mrs. Wilker declared.

The drive here is being sponsored by the Parent-Teacher Association.

NAACP Gives Dance Here This Sunday Night

Duke Alexander's all-colored orchestra from San Francisco will provide music for the dance this Sunday, February 4, at the Marin City Community House.

Dancing will start at 8:30 p.m. with everyone in the community invited. Admission is $1.

The dance is sponsored by the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People.

Pneumonia Is Cause of Baby's Death Monday

David Sampson, 4-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Sampson of House 673, died last Monday night of pneumonia while being transported from the Dormitories Infirmary to Children's Hospital in San Francisco. The child was a private patient of Dr. Charna Perry of Sausalito.

Funeral services were held on Wednesday in San Rafael.

Post War Poll To Be Conducted

The Public Affairs Committee of the Marin City Council, in cooperation with the Marin County Citizens' Post-War Planning Committee, will sponsor a poll in Marin City two weeks from now, announces Michael B. Smith, chairman.

The purpose of the poll, which will be a questionnaire addressed to every family here, is to equip the local planners with information they need to provide employment in Marin county after the war.

Fast Work On Two Yard Oilers

Proof of continued fast production at Marinship was seen in the delivery of two tankers within 48 hours at Marinship. On Saturday, January 10, the SS Potrero Hills sailed away from the construction docks, followed on Monday, January 22, by the SS Sunset Hills.

Since their launchings, both ships have been at the outfitting docks undergoing intensive work 24 hours a day, readying them for the roles of modern, fast fighting merchant ships.

City Lights

FPHA Officials Locate Elusive Recommendations

Hope for the blacked-out neighborhoods in Marin City which here for the last two years, was garnered this week in a round robin telephone conversation by The Marin Citizen and the regional Federal Public Housing Authority in San Francicco.

In checking on the status of proposed illumination here, we called our local assistant executive director, Merritt Webster, who said that the Fire and Safety Commission of FPHA had recommended lighting along with other improvements here. Not knowing where the recommendation was, Webster proposed our calling Omer Mills, assistant director of management.

Dr. Mills was not in his office, but his secretary recommended Frank Thunberg, chief of the Fire and Safety Commission, for final word on the subject.

Mr. Thunberg knew the recommendations had been made, and were probably approved by Langdon Post, executive director of the regional FPHA, but he didn't know what had happened to them, either. It was Mr. Thunberg's opinion they had probably been hung up for financial reasons and suggested we call Joe Milano, development coordinator, "The man who knows about money."

Mr. Milano was pretty concerned about the whole thing, but he didn't know what had happened to the recommendations, either. He did know, however, that the regional office had no money for such things and that it would have to come out of something called "Operating Improvements Budget" of the local housing authority. Then Mr. Milano turned us over to Morton Schraffron, management coordinator, who is out of town. But his secretary, a very bright girl, gave us Bert Klahn, housing management advisor who belongs to the school which says, "Don't you know there's a war on?"

Mr. Klahn, however, had actually seen the elusive recommendations and declared that letters had been signed that very morning, Tuesday, notifying the authority at Marin City to spend their own funds to bring light to dark neighborhoods.

"It's impossible to get uprights and wires for pole lights, but the regional office has worked out a system of tying reflector lights under eaves of houses. Our letter will authorize the Marin City housing authority to spend money for this purpose," Mr. Klahn definitely said.

Then bringing the telephone conversation back to Marin City we called **Mr. Webster** again, and gave him the good news.

He agreed that construction of the new eave lights might start just any day now, but was reluctant to set a date.

Anyway, we discovered the main thing is to keep an eye on the ball, in this case, the recommendations. The next move on street lighting belongs to the housing authority, according to its boss in San Francisco.

Services At The Religious Center

CATHOLIC
Father Henry O'Flynn.
Saturdays, Christian Doctrine classes by Sisters of the Holy Family, 9:15 to 11:15 a.m.
10 a.m., Confessions.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Dale A. Williamson and Lee Turner, Evangelists.
Bible Study and Prayer, Friday, 7:30, House 489.
Bible School, 10 a.m.
Preaching and Communion, 10:45 a.m. Sermon, "Faith."
Evening evangelistic service, 7:30. Sermon, "The Day of the Lord."

FIRST MISSIONARY BAPTIST
Rev. W. Franklin.
Sundays, 12 noon to 2 p.m., Sunday School and Church.
Thursdays, 7:30 to 9 p.m., Prayer Meeting.

LUTHERAN
Rev. John Jacobsen.
Sundays (first and third), 2 to 3:30 p.m.
Saturday, 2:30 p.m., Children's classes at House 249.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD
Rev. Floyd Smith.
Sunday service, 3:30 p.m.
Wednesday, 7:45 p.m.

CALVARY BAPTIST
Rev. Harold Hettema.
Sunday, 5 p.m., Vesper Service.
Thursday, 11 a.m. to 2:30 p.m., Children's Story Hour.
Friday, 7:45 p.m., Bible Study.

LATTER DAY SAINTS
Elder William Coffey.
Saturday, 2 to 5 p.m., Primary Class.

VICTORY BIBLE CLASS
7:30 p.m., Monday, House 38, Mrs. C. H. Olsen, teacher.

CHILD EVANGELISM CLASS
7:30 p.m., Monday, Religious Center; Mrs. C. H. Olsen, teacher.

BIBLE CLASS
7:30 p.m., Tuesday, Undenominational. All are invited. Bring your Bible. Thomas A. Brown, teacher.

Argument Over A Hat Lands Lee In County Jail

A fight, growing out of an argument over a battered felt hat, brought a charge of "assault with a deadly weapon" to William Lee of the Dormitories this week.

Lee, better known as Cookie, placed his hat on the stage of the Community House auditorium last Sunday night while dancing. Returning later to claim it, Lee found it in possession of the orchestra trumpeter, Lewis M. Day, of House 796, who was using the hat to "fan his horn."

Day, mistaking the hat for his own, refused to surrender the chapeau and during the ensuing discussion, smasked Cookie over the shoulder with a portion of his instrument.

In swift retaliation, Cookie whipped out his pocket knife and slashed the musician across the side. Lewis was treated at the Medical Center which reported that his wound was one and one-half inches wide, and one-fourth inch deep.

Bail for Cookie was set in the San Rafael court for $1500, and his preliminary hearing will be held Wednesday, February 14, at 10 a.m., in Judge Charles Brusatori's court.

AFL Pledges Support On Anti-Inflation

C. J. Haggerty, executive secretary of the California State Federation of Labor, today promised wholehearted and vigorous support from the 1,250,000, American Federation of Labor members of his organization to the anti-inflation campaign inaugurated for the month of February by the Labor Advisory Committee to the San Francisco Office of Price Administration.

"Controls must be maintained both on consumer necessities and on rent now and during the reconversion period," said Haggerty. "We don't want the ruinous inflation which followed the first World War."

The California AFL leader recalled that "Inflation began after the Armistice was signed in 1918 and spiraled upward in 1920 with living costs rising 108 per cent above pre-war levels.

'Then came deflation and the depression," said Haggerty. "In 22 months factory payrolls had dropped 44 per cent, to bring privation and misery to millions of workers.

"The members of Organized Labor can help avoid a repetition of this economic disaster by insisting that ceiling prices be observed by the merchants, by refusing to pay over the ceiling prices on consumer goods and services, and by reporting violations to their local War Price and Rationing Boards.

"Violations of ceiling prices," Haggerty pointed out, "force involuntary wage cuts on workers — a pay reduction that is doubly felt because of the 'Little Steel' formula which froze on the basis that living costs would be controlled."

Local Machinists Attend State-wide Meeting in Fresno

The California Conference of Machinists held a special meeting in Fresno on January 12 and 14, to meet with and discuss machinists' problems in the State. The feature of the meeting was an address by Harvey Brown, international president, who spoke on the good and welfare of the organization.

O. E. McNally, representing District Lodge 95, Ed Younger, representing Lodge 1178, and Herman J. Hale, William Lang, and E. Patrick Malloy, representing Lodge 238, attended the meeting from this area.

The California Conference of Machinists holds meetings regularly each quarter, and is a voluntary association formed to meet the needs of discussion on problems arising in the State.

More New Arrivals In Marin City

Families moving into Marin City during the last two weeks include three representatives from Oklahoma and two from Mississippi.

Those who took up residence in apartments here are: Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Pace from Arizona, A51-405; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Williams of Louisiana, B6-615; Shirley Carnine from Colorado, A32-251; Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Whitson from Arizona, A46-368; Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Cox from Missouri, A27-212; Tommy Duncan from Oklahoma, A11-85.

Moving into houses were Mr. and Mrs. Louie Johnson from Mississippi, 514; Mrs. Alma Rawson of California, 751; Mr. and Mrs. Edward Flood from Oklahoma, 159; Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hansen of California, 564; Mr. and Mrs. James Faulkner, from Oklahoma, 501.

Others are Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Ward from Mississippi, 686; and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Robertson from Louisiana, 563.

Gas Ration Reminder

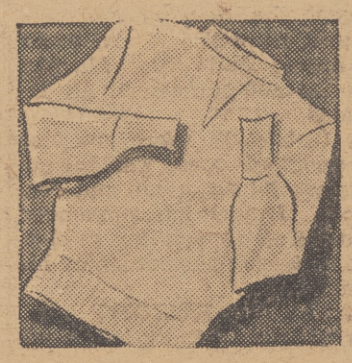
Here's an important ration reminder. When applying for gasoline rations, all motorists who have "A" cards must present to the local War Price and Rationing Boards their mileage ration records. This form was given to all "A" book holders during the re-registration and must accompany all applications for supplemental, special or furlough rations.

If you do not have a mileage ration record, or have lost or destroyed it, apply to your local board right away for a duplicate.

The cereal bar or disc used in "C" rations will be on civilian shelves after the war.

Signs of Spring

Men's Pullover
SWEAT SHIRTS
Sizes 34 to 44
$1.29
Others to $1.59



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MARIN CITY MARKET

NAACP Tells Negro Workers To Stop Auxiliary Dues

Negro welders at Marinship were instructed not to pay money to the Auxiliary of the Boilermakers' local, at a meeting of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People held in Marin City last Sunday afternoon.

"That auxiliary money is used to fight our efforts for real union membership. If we pay into it, we're working to defeat ourselves," said one spokesman.

The recent error at Marinship when cards were sent ordering workers to pay auxiliary dues was brought on the floor by Chairman Walter Rogers. A committee was appointed by him to protest the error to shipyard officials.

An analysis of the State Supreme Court decision, prepared by Geo. Anderson and Herbert Resner, lawyers, was read to the members to acquaint them with most recent developments in their struggle for full union recognition:

The decision in the case of James vs. Marinship marks the culmination of a long struggle by Negro shipyard workers and their countless supporters for full trade union citizenship in the Boilermakers' Union.

"The decision does not compel the union to accept Negroes into full membership but says, rather, that the union must either accept the Negroes into membership upon the same terms and conditions as non-Negroes, or the union cannot enforce the closed shop against Negroes. If the union were to refuse Negroes into membership on equal terms, then the Negroes are entitled to work in the yards without any union or auxiliary membership.

"At all events the decision sounds the death toll for the auxiliaries which are Jim Crow organizations created for the purpose of taxing the Negroes without allowing them voice or vote in union affairs, and as such, have been bitterly resisted by Negro workers and all other friends of true union democracy.

"The decision recognizes that race and color are unlawful standards upon which to classify workers for the purpose of union membership. The court says: "The 'discriminatory practices involved in this case are, moreover, contrary to the public policy of the United States and this state.'

"By declaring that union membership cannot be denied on the basis of race and color and that for a union to do so violates public policy, the California Supreme Court made judicial history. This is the first decision of this character by any court of like stature and will have effect throughout the country."

Lend-lease deliveries in 1944 went to the United Kingdom and other British possessions, Russia, Greece, West and North Africa, the Netherlands, Poland Yugoslavia and the French Committee of National Liberation.

Are You Listed For Medical Care

Have all the persons in your neighborhood been registered at the rental office as CPS members? If someone in your household is not so registered take care of this matter when you come to the rental office to pay your rent this week, suggests Mrs. Ilona Bellak, head nurse at the Medical Center.

"Persons not registered as CPS members are continually coming into the Medical Center requesting service. Acording to the terms of our contract with the Marin City Council we are only permitted to take care of persons registered as members," she continues. "Make sure that ALL the persons in your household are listed as members at the rental office."

The Medical Committee of the Marin City Council backs up this suggestion with the statement that there are families living in houses at Marin City and paying their medical fee who have not taken the precaution of listing as members, those whom they wish to have included in the Medical Plan.

"The plan belongs to us. The only way it can be protected from misuse by outsiders is to give service only to those listed as paid-up members. To pay your monthly CPS fee is not enough — we must also register the names of the persons whom we wish to be entitled to CPS service."

Quitters never win; winners never quit.

Clothing Program Is Still Many Months Away

The OPA-WPB plan to make possible the reduction of the average family's clothing bill by six or seven per cent is being put into effect this week.

Governmental agencies pointed out that it will be several months before much of the clothing manufactured under the new materials priority and price plan reaches the retail store. However many of the cotton items will be given easily recognizable "dollars and cents" ceiling price tags.

It was pointed out that while the program will make possible the sale of inexpensive house dresses, work clothes, underwear and other essentials needed by every moderate income family in America, the move can not increase the total amount of goods that the mills can produce. Scarcity of labor, not of raw materials, is making it impossible for the mills to turn out more cloth. "This situation will probably continue as long as the war lasts," says OPA.

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Marin City Junior Hostesses Are Popular At USO Parties

Invitations for Marin City's USO junior hostesses are pouring in, according to a report this week by Mrs. Harrison Abbott, senior hostess. Miss Leah Minor, from the San Francisco USO Caravan Mobile Service, told the girls that Chaplain Lyons at Santa Rosa, where they attended a party last week, has invited them to another servicemen's party there for February 22.

Another expedition for junior hostesses was arranged by Miss Minor at Pittsburg, January 31. Senior and junior hostesses from Marin City are also attending San Rafael USO Club dinners for evacuees from the South Pacific the first three Thursdays of every month.

Miss Minor, who is conducting a training course for the young hostesses was in Marin City for a regular class last Thursday. She gave a brief outline of some of the duties of a junior hostess and hints on personal hygiene. She asked the girls to attend a meeting at the Y.M.C.A. in San Francisco on February 21 for which transportation will be provided.

During a question period, the student hostesses queried Miss Minor on smoking and manner of conversation when in company of the servicemen.

The next training course meeting will be at the USO Cottage here on February 9.

Those present last week were the Misses Lillian Mitchell, Lillian Eugenia Howe, Lois Howard, Mary, Margaret and Arlene Brown, Ozell and Alameda Pennywell, Grace Mae Yancey, Josephine Wilson, Ann Goens, Gene Beard, and Dorothy Gidry. Senior hostesses present were Mrs. Harrison Abbott and Mrs. Malcolm Pendley.

Retired Boxers Asked To Enter The Ring Again

Former professional or amateur pugilists now living in Marin City are asked to come forward this week to instruct local youngsters how to handle their fists, according to an appeal from the Recreation Department.

Planned time for the amateur glove tutelage is during evening gym hours in the Community House, from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m.

Applicants for the new volunteer positions may see Mrs. Lois Nelson, recreation director, at the gym Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday or Friday evenings.

Councilman Jacob Albert had no statement to make at this time.

Junior College Gives New Course

With the opening of the new semester on the Marin Junior College campus at Kentfield, Wilbur H. Swanson, former members of the faculty, will be back to work as instructor in the bacteriology department.

Swanson left a year ago to aid in penicillin research at Stanford University.

A new class has been added to the curriculum for the coming semester. A course in transportation will be presented by Harry Sullivan, education director of United Air Lines, who has recently conducted a similar series of lectures for the University of California.

The course will cover all phases of air transportation considered to be of interest to the air-minded individual, and will stress the future of air-borne commerce as it pertains to future business possibilities of the students.

OPA Speaks to Consumers

Urging members to refuse to pay more than ceiling prices, and to report violations to shop stewards or the local price and ration board, was the keynote address by Leo Quilici assistant business agent of the Shipfitter's local, at last Tuesday's two-shift OPA meetings here.

The meetings, at 1 and 8 p.m. marked the opening of labor's anti-inflation campaign during them onth of February. Speakers from the District Office of Price Administration and two Hollywood films completed the afternoon and evening program.

Marin City's part in consumer responsibility of holding the price line was complimented by William Brunner, price enforcement officer with OPA, who said "An energetic group in Marin City was backed up by an energetic price and ration board at Mill Valley, and you cleared out one set of price violations,"

NO KID GLOVES

Brunner declared OPA price enforcement is getting "tougher." He said that price violations now being reported, are often by old offenders. In a recent check made in Richmond, out of 27 meat and food stores, there were 25 violations. In Vallejo, violations were found in 100 per cent of the markets checked.

Brunner urged consumer cooperation in reporting all suspected violations so that OPA pressure can be brought to bear on offending stores.

He also cited instances in which Negro workers have been overcharged. "We have found that some places have two prices —one for white and one for colored buyers."

"There's no place for that in America." said Brunner, urging those violations be reported.

COURT CASES

One of the OPA speakers, on a question from the audience, declared that the $50 damages awarded against a violator store, is the most potent weapon we have to keep prices in line, and asked consumers to investigate and use it more frequently.

He declared the damage suit weapon, used freely in Los Angeles, is virtually neglected in the Bay Area.

An easy method of discovering price violations was presented, when the check list system was reported to the audience. OPA officials asked buyers to take the lists and write down the description and price of their purchases, and turn these lists into shop stewards or ration boards for checking.

UNNOTICED BEFORE

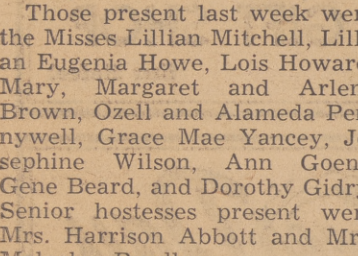
"Using this method, we can often find price violations, not noticed by the average consumer," he said.

Speakers during the afternoon session were Charles Aiken, William Brunner, and Richard Hopkins. During the evening, speakers were William Mountain and Richard Coblentz, OPA officials from San Francisco. Quilici spoke at both gatherings.

H. J. Young was chairman of the afternoon meeting. He is a member of Marinship's Shop Stewards Committee, sponsors of the two programs.

If a C.O.D. package addressed to your son in the armed forces arrives at your home, do not pay for it until you are certain whether or not the service man ordered it, the Better Business Bureau warned this week.

Save Your Vision



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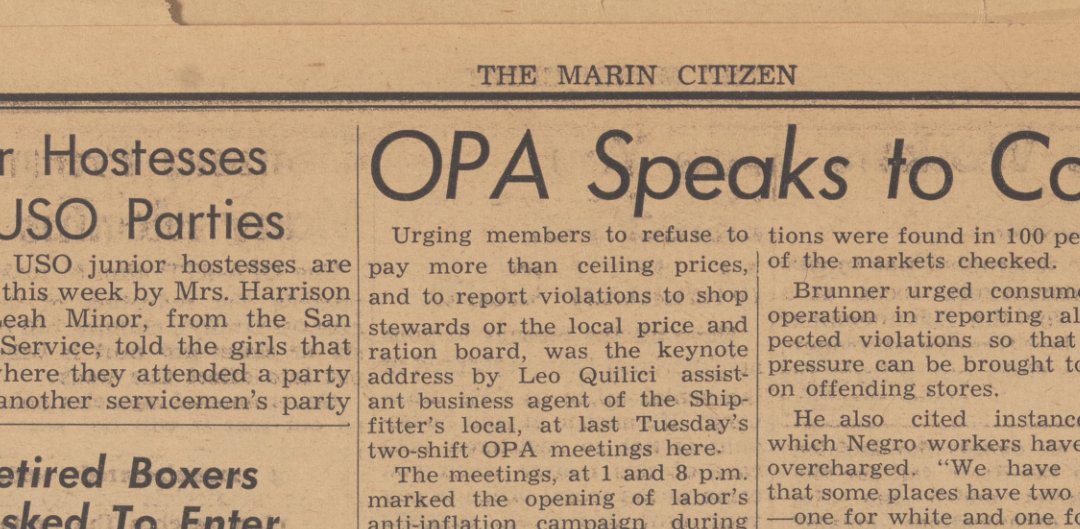

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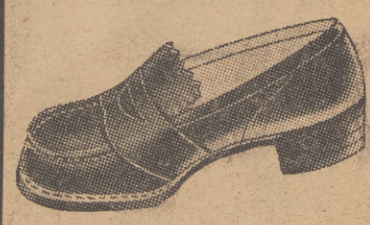

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WOMEN'S PAGE

Valentine Day Party For Women's Club

A combined celebration of Valentine's Day, Washington's Birthday, and Lincoln's Birthday will be the theme of the next regular meeting of Marin City's Women's Club Wednesday, February 7.

Members are urged to bring one Valentine for an exchange gift, and one pound of shortening for the Cookie Brigade.

The program will be under supervision of Miss Helen Sullivan, assisted by Mrs. Robert Cooper and Mrs. Ray Hobson. Refreshments will be served by Mrs. Louis Bright, chairman; Mrs. Ethel Blanchette and Mrs. Clara Bishop.

Final plans will be made for a pot-luck supper for members and their husbands on Sunday evening, February 11.

Busy Sewing Group Calls For Added Volunteer

Wanted—One volunteer sewing instructor, appeals the Recreation Department which reports 22 enthusiastic young girls are now attending the new sewing club here. The enrollment is more than the one volunteer, Mrs. Lyde Sieker, can manage.

The group meets every Friday at 6:30 p.m. in the Community House council room. The beginning seamstresses are from 9 to 12 years of age, learning to make such useful articles as aprons, pot holders, and doll clothes.

Any lady with home sewing experience is invited to contribute one evening a week to the new enterprise by volunteering during class time or contacting the Recreation Department any day at Bldg. 402.

Girls enrolled in the young sewing circle are Mary Anthony, Mary Ann Ryan, Barbara Garise, Joan Marie, Mona Christiansen, Ruby Mae Johnson, Beverly Roland, Rowena Maszk, Carolyn Sieker, Idella Olsen, Mary E. Johnson, Frieda Young, Theresa Bordelon, Ernestine Kelly, Rose Marie Ekman, Doris and Melva Wright, Geraldine and Maria Harvey, Mildred Mae and Bonnie Rose Harris, Dorothy Hill, Mary Balard, aJckie Whitson, Mary Bordelon, Patsy Whitson and Barbara Kelsheimer.

Sewing Materials

Members of Marin City's Girl Scout Troop Committee are urged to save any colorful prints or plain materials, and bring them to the next meeting. The cloth will be used in the new sewing group of which local Girl Scouts are members.

Strictly Personal . . .

Mrs. George Taubman, House 82, returned to Marin City last Friday from Minneapolis where she has been the last four months. Her visit was timed to coincide with the arrival of the Taubman's first grandchild, Gary, a seven-pound infant who arrived December 28. The child is the first-born of their son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Taubman.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Andersen of House 443, had as their guests this week, Mrs. Andersen's nephew and wife, Lt. and Mrs. S. R. Holm; and her sister and niece, Mrs. George Holm and Miss Marjorie Holm of Cedar Falls, Iowa. Lt. Holm recently returned from England and was on his way to Santa Monica.

Vernon Johnson, Navy third class dietitian, has been in Marin City on leave for the past two weeks visiting his wife and two children at A61 and seeing old friends in the town. Seaman Johnson is a former sports and news contributor with The Marin Citizen. He is now stationed on shore duty at Bremerton, Washington.

Mrs. Jess Draper was taken to the Dormitories Infirmary on Sunday suffering from a severe attack of high blood pressue. Reports are she is "doing nicely" now.

House guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lifto at House 278 are Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Moorhead and son and daughter of Rochester, Minnesota. Mrs. Moorhead, sister of Mrs. Lifto, and her family were former residents of Marin City. They recently returned from Rochester to make their home here again, and are now awaiting a house.

Wm. Kuperus, Merchant Marine member, arrived in Marin City last Saturday for a month's leave. He has been stationed on a ship which has operated in the South Pacific for the last five months. Included in the gifts he brought home for his family, is a hula hula skirt for his wife, Dorothy, drug store employee here.

Donald Teel, 7, fractured his right wrist last Sunday while at play. He was treated at the Medical Center which called in the eminent San Francisco bone specialist, Dr. Frank Lowe. Donald is now wearing a cast and recovering nicely.

Congratulations

To Mr. and Mrs. Julius Walker on the birth of a son January 27, at Ross General Hospital.

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To Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Beauchamp on the birth of a son at Ross General Hospital, January 28.

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To Mr. and Mrs. Harold Gordon on the birth of a son, January 31, at Cottage Hospital.

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To Mr. and Mrs. James Anthony on the birth of a son February 1, at Ross General Hospital.

Woolly Animal Makers Needed

Do you want to know how to make woolly dogs and other animals? Would you like to learn the art of knot-tying?

If so, come to 1618 4th St., San Rafael next Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock. Miss Millie Dunshee and Mrs. Warren Griffith have been appointed by the Red Cross Arts and Skills Corps to instruct the class.

At completion of course, followed by an Army indoctrination lecture, workers are qualified to teach convalescent men at Hamilton Field hospital.

Our USO Raised Wartime Morale, Says Mrs. Larson

February 4 marks the fourth anniversary of the founding of USO. In northern California, it will be birthday time at all USOs—not only a time to celebrate but also a time for everyone interested in USO to evaluate the past, present and future of USO and its part in the wartime picture, this week said Walter Heller, northern California USO State chairman.

"In Marin City, because we do not yet have a Servicemen's USO Club, there will be no public celebration," said Mrs. Marie Larson, local director. "Yet, privately we can all use this celebration time to look back gratefully on the two years of service which USO has given our community."

MORALE LIFTER

"I feel sure that the service we have been able to give here, both to families who have stayed on in Marin City and to those who have left, has materially helped keep up war time morale and shipyard attendance.

"Since our beginning here in March 8, 1943, we have helped 1884 persons or families who have come to our office in trouble or seeking advice., and through our efforts many of these families have been able to stay in Marin City and contribute directly to the war effort.

"Our Advisory Committee of 14 members from throughout the county, along with our staff has worked to help along democratic processes which make a more livable community," concluded Mrs. Larson.

USO GROWS UP

From an inauspicious start four years ago, USO's growth has been miraculous. Today USO is operating some 2775 operations. Here in northern California we operate more than 100 clubs in some 66 different communities, said Heller.

'With the emphasis of the war now evident on the West Coast, it is essential that the interest of our volunteers, senior and junior hostesses, as well as hosts be maintained. USO clubs near large ports and camps are caring for ever increasing numbers andd oing it well. We know we may not rest on our past achievements; our job is still ahead of us and no slackening of interest can be permitted," he added.

'To you, Mr. and Mrs. Public, we ask for your continued interest and support. Your contributions so cheerfully and readily given through California War Chest have made all of this possible," Heller concluded.

Scout Troop 32 Will Collect Paper Here This Sunday

Boy Scout Troop 32 of Marin City, will hold its first paper drive of 1945 this Sunday, February 5, starting at 9 a.m. An Army truck from Ft. Scott will be stationed here to pick up the Scout collections from Marin City homes.

During the drive, which will last all day, residents are requested to place their salvaged paper bundles on the main roads.

This Sunday is paper drive day for every Scout Troop in the United States.

Councilwoman Emma Flynn was confined to her home for two weeks with influenza. Early this week she was back at her guard job at Marinship.

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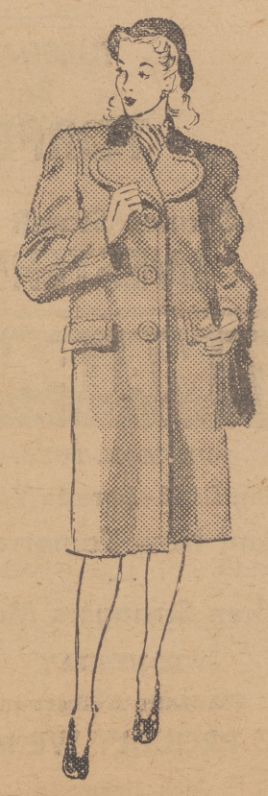

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The Week at Your Marin County Theatres

Women's Suffering Under Nazi Rule Told In 'Master Race'

A pathetic human drama caused by war, a woman's ordeal typical of the heart-break that follows the German occupation of invaded countries, is propounded with stark realism in "The Master Race," the Edward A. Golden production for RKO Radio.

While the men of the village are forced to hide in the hills and the underground in order to carry on their fight against the enemy, the women are left to the mercy of the incoming army of occupation. In "The Master Race" is high-lighted the plight of a woman who fought a lone battle and lost, owning a child innocently unaware of the strange world to which it was born. It is a tense situation that only the strong can face when she is forced to lay bare her shame before those she loves—her father, brother, and finally, her husband.

Realizing the great problem before her the unfortunate mother has attempted to run away before facing her men folk but fails, and they are shocked at discovering the child. After the first pangs they grow to accept the little one with sympathetic wisdom. The reunited family works toward a better understanding through their period of re-adjustment.

Alan Ladd On Screen Again

After being mustered out of the Army, Alan Ladd hied himself to Hollywood, ready for another pistol role, but found he was tagged for a straight dramatic lead in "And Now Tomorrow" adaptation of the Rachel Field best-seller which opens Monday at the Sequoia theatre. Miss Field authored the famous novel, "All This and Heaven, Too."

Friends and co-workers of the star kept dropping in all day to wish him good luck as shooting got under way. The scene, itself, was one of festivity as it marked the birthday dinner party of Beulah Bondi, who has an important role in this romantic drama of New England. Present was the entire lineup of principals from the film—Loretta Young, Susan Hayward, Miss Bondi, Barry Sullivan and Cecil Kellaway.

SS Elwood Hills

Keel was laid for the Marinship tanker SS Elwood Hills, named for the oilfield located in Santa Barbara county, at 7 a.m. Wednesday, January 31. Launching is scheduled early in March, 1945.

The OPA nationally now controls rents in more than 15,000,000 housing units and more than 500,000 hotels and rooming houses.

When "Roughly Speaking" hit the stands last year I started right in yelping about it. As I remember, my words were:

"One of the most fascinating books I've ever read. As American as Bosten baked beans. Characters sturdy as Plymouth Rock. Mrs. Pierson, American mother, could, if she had the stuff to do it with, lick Hitler single-handed, as she's licked wealth and poverty and brought up five children. There's a woman I'd fly thousands of miles to meet."

She reminded me of it when she got here for the filming of her book.

ESSENCE OF AMERICA

Mrs. Pierson, whose life story, "Roughly Speaking,' was recently completed by Warners, with Roz Russell in the autobiographical role, is a person that you, too, have met, whether you know it or not.

She's America.

Born rich, pampered by a father who dressed like and faintly believed he might be King Edward (even to the beard, which he brilliantined), Louise was dumped out on a coldly realistic world at the age of 10 flat broke.

Returning from his funeral, her mother called her two daughters together in the sunroom. "The trouble is," she said, "your father indorsed notes."

There didn't seem any use in sitting around bawling, so before long Louise was going great guns as a secretary ($12 a week) when she met her first husband-to-be, Rodney — "six feet two, tailored by Brooks, and had won six Latin prizes at Yale." Rodney was making $66.66 a month in a bank, so the two went to live in an $18 a month flat, where she had four children in four years.

When Rodney really got into the chips the family moved to Ossining, where Louise plunged into everything from politics to the little theatre. Tragedy struck in the form of infantile paralysis, temporarily laying low all four children. Louise Jr., never did fully recover.

Rodney decided one day he'd had enough. "I'm moving to the Yale Club," he declared.

So without too much ado she got a divorce, another job, another husband and in due time another baby. Husband No. 2, Harold Pierson, fought with the Canadians in the last war.

KINDRED SPIRITS

He was as nuts as she.

"I've always had a weakness for big men with black hair and blue eyes," says Louise. "Besides, he was romantic, charming, irresponsible, generous." He was also rich, owning the vast Pierson greenhouses and nurseries near Tarrytown. Three years later they were broke.

Marin residents are urged to share their cars to aid in saving 75 per cent of the cars of the four workers in each pool.

Martha Raye On 'Fun Time' At The Curran

"Fun Time", a super-deluxe variety revue and the sixth in the series of Producer Paul Small's "Time" hits, is now playing on the stage of the Curran Theatre, San Francisco, for a limited engagement.

This time it is stage, screen and radio star Martha Raye who will head the large cast of "Fun Time."

Featured Broadway names will include the world famous comedians Smith and Dale; the smooth and graceful dancing of Renee DeMarco; Dean Murphy, whom President Roosevelt invited to the White House on 17 different occasions to entertain; Sara Ann McCabe, star of a recent Ziegfeld Follies revue; Buster Shaver with Olive, George and Richard,known in every capitol of the world as the most unusual act on the stage today; Tip Tap Toe, a trio of greased-lightning stoppers; and the 4 Macks, a quartet of flashing skaters whose intricate routines are a marvel of precision.

With Martha Raye's hilarious clowning and singing, "Fun Time" should add another niche in Paul Small's ladder of success and prove the smash hit in the field of comedy entertainment on the stage today in the same manner as his other attractions blazed a trail of laughter from the Curran Theatre to the Gay White Way in New York.

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SHIRLEY TEMPLE - ROBERT WALKER
in
SINCE YOU WENT AWAY

SUNDAY - MONDAY
Kent Taylor - Margaret Lindsay in
ALASKA

Roy Rogers in
COLORADO

TUESDAY - WEDNESDAY
Barry Mackay in
TORPEDO RAIDER

Charles Starett and Sons of Pioneers in
WESTERN CARAVANS

TAMALPAIS
SAN ANSELMO
SUN.-MON.-TUES.
Alan Ladd - Loretta Young
And Now Tomorrow
—
When Strangers Marry

WEDNESDAY
Claudette Colbert in
SO PROUDLY WE HAIL

Jack Benny in
Buck Benny Rides Again

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Parents Seek Study Hall For Teeners

Plans are being made to have a supervised study period one evening a week for high school students and other teeners who feel that they can get their home work done more quickly and effectively if a quiet place is provided in which to study.

"It is generally realized that our war housing dwellings are not designed to provide an extra room which can be used for study purposes. It is felt that this creates a real handicap for children and prevents them from doing as well at school as they otherwise might," says Michael Smith, chairman of the Public Affairs and Education Committee.

THREE VOLUNTEER

"We would like to see any project undertaken which may help to alleviate the disadvantages to which the children are subjected due to overcrowded housing conditions. The Public Affairs and Education Committee therefore feels that the three parents who have already agreed to help supervise the evening study periods at the Marin City School are making a real contribution to the welfare of the children at Marin City," continues Smith.

However, the Committee can not start scheduling the study periods until more parents indicate an interest in having their children attend the study periods and until more parents have volunteered to give two hours one or two evenings a month to supervising the periods.

SUPERVISED STUDY

If you feel that your child would benefit by attending a supervised study period or if you are willing to give two hours of your time one evening a month to supervising such a study period in the Marin City Elementary School, please write the committee. State the evening of the week and the hours which you would be free.

Tentatively, Thursday evening at 6:30 or 7:30 has been decided upon. However, if some other evening would be better for you, write the committee to that effect.

Please remember whether or not this plan can go forward depends on the parents. Write Michael Smith, Box 345, Marin City, and say that you can help one evening a month.

SS Aratan Is Commissioned At Mare Island Yard

Another important unit was added to our Navy when the Navy tanker USS Aratan was formally commissioned and placed in service with the U. S. fleet at Mare Island Navy Yard on January 29. The ceremonies were held in the presence of Mrs. R. W. Adams who was the sponsor of the ship when it was launched at Marinship on August 6, 1944.

Lieut. Commander E. Norman Eriksen accepted command of the speedy modern design auxiliary vessel standing on the bridge of the ship while officers and crew stood at attention on the foredeck beneath. Lt. John D. Gaboury, executive officer, assigned the officers and men to their watches as the ceremonies came to a close.

The commissioning pennant was raised in the traditional ceremony to the shrill tune of the boatswain's whistle. Mrs. Adams spoke to the officers and crew, and added her wishes for good luck and speedy victory. She was present with R. W. Adams, employee relations manager at the shipyard of Marinship Corporation.

Botanically, the pineapple is a berry native to South America. This fruit was unknown to Europeans until Columbus discovered America.

Excuses are the patches of failure.

Monay To Take Overseas Work With Red Cross

Marin Junior College announced today that it had accepted the resignation of Ralph Monay, head of its commercial department. Monay has resigned to take up new duties with the American Red Cross for an overseas assignment. John A. Weisner, since 1942 a lieutenant in the Navy, will succeed Monay.

Monay has been with Marin Junior College since 1936, having come here from Grant Union High School in Sacramento. In 1943 Monay left his post as instructor for a time, having worked with the Maritime Commission and on the Alaska-Canada highway. He was recalled at the end of the year when Thomas Blakely left the commercial department for a naval commission. Monay has been very successful in his instructor's duties at the college and has built the commercial department up to a high degree of efficiency.

Wiesner will instruct in typing, accounting and economics, assisted by Mrs. Ruth Paget, in shorthand. He has a long record of accomplishments in this field and holds a master's degree from the University of Hawaii.

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Case Of Kleenex Awarded To 72 Prize Winners By Club

Last Wednesday's contest by the Marin City Women's Club netted $80 to the March of Dimes campaign and the distribution of 72 boxes of rare Kleenex to local prize winners.

Awards were presented in front of the Marin City Drug Store whose proprietor, R. Monson, contributed the prizes to benefit the National Foundation, Infantile Paralysis.

Those not on hand to receive their prizes will have the boxes delivered by their ticket saleswomen. Winners, some of whom were awarded more than one box, were:

Mrs. Alvin Barnes, Mrs. B. Dokkin, Dick McCarthy, Marilyn Makaroff, Lois Hart, Mrs. Violet Calhoun, E. L. Johnson, Ed Long, Richard Marshall, Olga Phillipson, E. Taubman, Mrs. D. Tabor, Mrs. Fred Mauroni, Boyd Henshaw, J. C. Brower, Esther White, Mrs. S.M. Thrash, Mrs. K. E. Means and Dorothy Smith.

Others were Mrs. O. Small, Mrs. J. Browning, Mrs. Broton, Helen Marshall, Richard Marshall, Elva Heard, Mrs. O. V. Scheven, Mrs. D. J. Grimm, Mrs. Ray Bowman, Roberta Tinker, Mrs. Schriller, A. Rich, Zoe Matthews, Helen Sullivan, Jean Sargent, E. Taubman, Mrs. Leo Davis, E. B. Matthews and Mrs. H. G. Norton.

More name include Betty Whiteside, Madeline Coleman, Pearl Makaroff, Mrs. Phillips, Douglas Shimmin, G. McNerney, Mrs. H. Hansen, Thelma Ebersole, Mrs. C. Cousins, Lena Hopp, Mrs. E. Ricketts, Freda Green, Esther Leafgren, J. Hobson, Helen Robertson, Mrs. Gale Strombom, Julia Seagraves, Mrs. J. L. Bishop, Margaret Shimmin and Dick McCarthy.

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Navy Oiler Commissioned At Marinship

To the shrill tune of a boatswain's whistle, the commissioning pennant of the USS Soudarissen was raised to the ship's mainmast at Marinship last Friday as the U. S. Navy officially commissioned the 523-foot fleet oiler and placer her in service.

Entire crew, hundreds of Marinship workers and scores of special guests were present to witness the first commissioning ceremony ever held at the Sausalito shipyard.

"The crew and every Marinship worker can feel pride in the splendid work which has produced this fine ship," declared Captain Edward Lapham, Commissioning Officer, representing the Commandant of the Twelfth Naval District.

The ship was handed over to Commander W. H. Fogarty, as captain, and to Lt. Commander R. T. Wheeler, Jr., as executive officer. As the dramatic ceremony came to a close, all members of the crew were assigned to their watches and the ship prepared to sail away into war-time service.

Although Marinship has built and delivered 64 ships in the past 27 months, including 12 Navy oilers, this is the first to be commissioned at the shipyard docks.

Nunes Brothers 100th Launching

The 100th ship to be launched from the Nunes Brothers shipyard in Sausalito slid down the ways last Saturday christened the "Seaworthy." The ship, a combination seine commercial fisher and shark drag, was built for three San Francisco fishermen by the local firm, which is owned and operated by Manuel and Anthony Nunes.

Nunes brothers began their activity as ship builders in 1904 in Sacramento and in 1925 opened the Sausalito yard, where in addition to civilian craft they have constructed vessels for the Maritime Commission and the Coast Guard.

A Cat Looks at a King

AN UNIDENTIFIED CAT was an attentive observer when Norway's King Haakon VII recently became an honorary citizen of Largs in northern Scotland. Provost John Lindsay is shown officiating at the ceremony when the King reaffirmed the strong bonds between the two peoples.

'Damask Cheek' MJC Production

Sometime during February the young thespians of Marin Junior College will present the stage comedy "The Damask Cheek." Director of the production is E. Dewart Lewis, of the dramatics department.

Cast of the play, which has been used by many colleges in recent years, includes: Allen Sciaroni, Marge Wilson, Reva Freeman, Joan Taylor, Jack Lundgren, Corinne Small, Jim Hart, Joan Wentz and Shirley

Women War Department workers may go overseas

'Old-timers' Night' At Elks Lodge

On Thursday evening, February 1, the San Rafael Lodge of Elks will hold "Old Timers' Night."

Past Exalted Ruler Harold J. Haley will wield the gavel, assisted in the ritual by a corps of officers who were associated with him during his '38-'39 regime. Dinner will be served at 7 o'clock.

A half months salary went to all American Trust Company employees for Christmas — this included those in service.

Sermons For February Are Announced

The Marin City Community Church meeting, as usual, in the Community Center Building announces that Dr. Norman Pendleton will, during February, present a series of Symphonic Sermons at the 11 a.m. services as follows:

February 4 — "The Kindly Light."

February 11—"Where Cross the Crowded Ways."

February 18—"Master Let Me Walk With Thee."

February 25—"Seven Keys to Character."

Community Sunday School meets in the Community Center Building every Sunday at 10 a.m.

The man who succeeds finds little time for finding fault.

Captain McGregor

Capt. Jean Campbell McGregor, known in Marin City as Jean Baker, head nurse at the Medical Center, was in town this week visiting friends during a brief furlough from duty at Fort McArthur, San Pedro.

Capt. McGregor is a member of the Army Nurses Corps and has been in service 22 months.

Staying home is the Christmas present civilians can give servicemen.

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Teener Topics

Edited by Nancy Larsen

Council Highlights

The meeting was called to order January 30, by Mayor Willie Rombke.

Carol Husel, Eddie Borruughs, and Ronald Walton were absent.

Those present were: Eleanor Campbell, Nancy Larsen, Willie Rombke, Vic Hoppe and Lynn Draper.

Mrs. Nelson arranged for us to have an orchestra for the Valentine Day dance, Friday, February 9. Thirty-five cents will be charged for admission. The dance will be at 9 o'clock. Fifty dollars will be played to the orchestra.

The Teener Club will buy four new card tables from the Senior Council.

Decorating will be done Friday the 9th, in the afternoon. Any teeners who would like to help, get in touch with Lynn Draper or Carol Husel.

Next Council meeting will be February 6, 1945.

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We notice that there is a new hostess at the Teener Club. Mrs. Earl Larsen will be there every Wednesday.

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Marvin Gardner All for Himself

He slept beneath the moon
He basked beneath the sun,
He lived a life of going-to-do
And he died with nothing done.

* * *

Generosity

A generous lad
Is my brother, Alfred,
Said little Bill Tillett;
He takes the middle of the bed,
And leaves me both sides of it.

* * *

Peeping Tom Says

Where did Mickey Carpenter go when he left the party the night of Saturday, January 27?

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We hear Lyle Carpenter was getting a ticket to the "Policeman's Ball" in front of Gate 3, Monday night.

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Dorothy Olson hasn't seen Konrad Knudson for quite a while. Wonder where he is hiding?

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Deveryle Davis always gets confused when Herbie McCandless appears. Could it be young love is in bloom?

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Alferd Tillett seems to be making up for his height by beating all the larger boys on a pool table that is just his size.

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We wonder how and where, Wanda Eaton got poison oak?

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TALL TALES

Mary not pink,
Mary not blue—
Mary Brown.

* * *

Jessie not run,
Jessie not walk—
Jessie Hoppe.

* * *

Ardith not listen to teacher,
Ardeth look out window—
Ardith Wiles.
(Look in dictionary.)

* * *

Al play baseball,
Al bad player—
Al Fowler.

* * *

Stanley not hand,
Stanley not ear—
Stanley Foote.

* * *

Jess not jade,
Jess not ebony—
Jess Ivory.

* * *

Beryl do good deed,
Beryl big hero—
Beryl Knight.

OPA Releases Gasoline For Mariners

Members of the United States Merchant Marine engaged in active off-shore duty will become eligible for gasoline while on furlough under an order announced here last Monday by Robert Parks, district director of the Office of Price Administration.

Amendment No. 169 to Mileage Ration Order 5-C, effective January 12, establishes graduated amounts of gasoline for officers and men of the Merchant Marine while ashore in this country, based upon their off-shore duty in either coastal, intercoastal or foreign movements.

This will range from three gallons upon a showing of at least five weeks of active off-shore duty, up to a maximum of 30 gallons for 49 weeks or more of duty.

Heretofore members of the Merchant Marine have not been eligible for furlough gasoline.

To qualify for furlough gasoline, Merchant Marine personnel must apply to local War Price and Rationing Boards, accompanying the application with one or more certificates of discharge or records of entry in the member's continuous discharge book.

The application also must state the purpose for which the ration is sought, to what points transportation is needed, including mileage, and a statement indicating alternative available means of transportation and reasons why such alternati ve means are not adequate. Boards are authorized to grant gasoline only if the ration sought is actually needed for the purpose claimed by applicant, and if transportation by motor vehicle is necessary and alternative transportation is inadequate.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Schaffer and son have moved to Richmond to make their future home.

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V-Mail Use Importance Is Stressed

"With more than 40,000,000 individual pieces of mail being dispatched to American troops overseas each week, it is now more important than ever before that the public use V-Mail when writing to American soldiers stationed outside the United States," declared Major Gen. J. A. Ulio, adjutant general of the Army, in speaking of the present campaign by the armed forces for increased use of V-mail facilities.

"The reason for this is obvious,' continued Ulio, "in that there is not sufficient cargo space to carry this letter mail by air unless a high percentage of it is in the form of space and weight-saving V-mail. The use of V-mail at this time when we have well over 5,000,000 men overseas, means more and faster letters for our American soldiers, letters which can be carried by air rather than on the slow surface vessels which are otherwise necessary if the volume of mail moving by air is not reduced through the use of V-mail.

"The American public has a direct obligation to our fighting men to see that they get mail often and in as short a time as physically possible under prevailing conditions."

V-mail blanks may be obtained free at your nearest post office. The letters when mailed must carry at least three cents in postage to take them to the nearest V-mail processing unit.

Defeat For Marin City By Sausalito Basketball Team

Sausalito beat the Marin City lightweight basketball team, 35 to 22, at a game here Monday night. The neighboring team has been organized for some time, and recently played against Mill Valley.

High scorer for Marin City was Jack Tiddy with 14 points. Stan Foot was next with 6. Others who played were Alfred Tillett, James Wells, James Reid, Ray Quintana, John Anderson, and Rex Minshall.

After more practice, they expect to play a return game with Sausalito, and games with Mill Valley.

Community Piano

A piano for community use was purchased this week by the Marin City Council. The instrument, which cost $150, will be kept under lock and key and brought out only for special musical occasions.

Approval for the purchase was given at the special meeting of council Monday night.

Next-of-kin of persons in German prison camps may write through the Red Cross, Switzerland, without receipt of permanent address.

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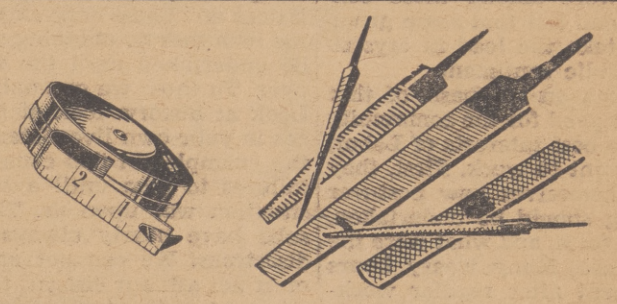

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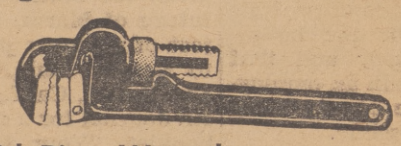

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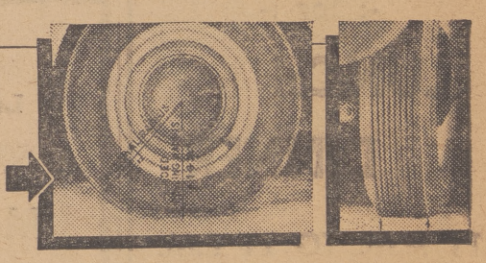

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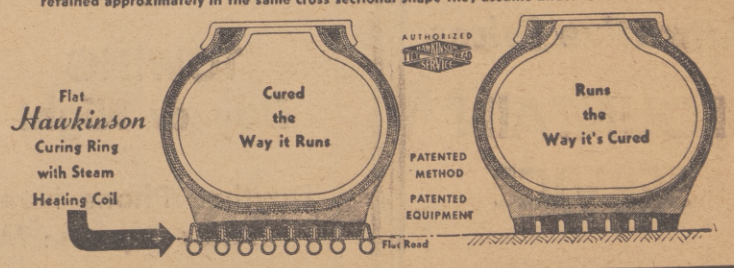

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Post-War Planning

Labor's Part in Marin's Future Aided by Pamphlet on Plans

Many people are not aware of the part played by Labor in this county in post-war planning. It has been, we believe, done reasonably quietly, with little fanfare and in a constructive manner.

Many citizens of Marin saw the urgent need for co-ordinated thinking and action so that the county should not be forced to undergo any catastrophic upheaval due to economic readjustments at the close of the war. The members of Organized Labor were among those concerned and felt that some group had to take the lead in crystalizing public sentiment.

Working on the basis of that which is good for the community is in the best interests of Labor, Labor went to work. First, they asked themselves how post-war planning should be undertaken, in what form, and what were the objectives. Many weary hours were spent after regular working time by men earning their living at other tasks, in bringing into being a concrete expression of the needs and trends of constructive thinking. The net result was Labor's booklet, 'Your Marin—Today and Tomorrow."

It was written with the idea in mind that no one group attempt to dictate county welfare policies. But rather that those policies should stem from an expression from ALL groups as to exactly what those policies should be in terms of general welfare. Therefore the booklet recommended that many lines of endeavor be followed and that certain specific types of projects be undertaken for the betterment of the county and that would help maintain an employment level in the county at as high a level as possible.

BRINGS ACTION

The response to the booklet was of sufficient volume as to assure the Supervisors of the public demand for post-war planning locally. Accordingly, they appointed a nominating committee after a public meeting in the Supervisors' chambers in San Rafael, attended by representatives of nearly every group and body in the county. This nominating committee named chairman and members of some 15 committees charged with formulating plans for presentation to the county.

It was endeavored to have each committee represent a cross section of the county, not only as to geographical areas but as to representative groups as well. This insures that no section group in the county lacks representation in the important matter of presentation of plans and makes certain that people and ideas from all walks of life participate.

PLANNING ONLY

While Labor has and will continue to press for post-war planning it does not believe that it should be done to the detriment of the war effort. In fact, it is scrupulously careful to see that it does not. Some have expressed the idea that no planning should be undertaken until the war is over. To them we can only say: Look at history, look at instances in your own lives! Many are the examples in this country of failures to plan until a serious situation was upon us. The results have nearly always been disastrous. We can not and we must not ask our citizens to face crises of any nature that we forestall with an expenditure of reasonable effort and thought on the part of all of us.

The Bible contains many references to those with little foresight, and very succintly sums it up in "The Lord Helps Those Who Help Themselves."

Labor has in the past, and will in the future, support any plan consistent with public welfare and the betterment of that welfare. It will not support any plan not measuring up to those standards.

To those of you who have not given too much thought to the future of Marin, or to the subject of post-war planning, write to Herman Hale, 918 C Street, San Rafael, Calif., or to the Marin Journal for a copy of Labor's booklet, "Your Marin — Today and Tomorrow."

You may not agree with all of the things contained therein, but if by disagreeing with us, it stimulates your thought constructively on the subject, then we have accomplished our object, and we know that your voice will be added to others on the subject. By helping the county plan you are planning for yourself.

—By Charles M. Geller.

Ration Calendar

GASOLINE

A-14 coupons valid for four gallons each through March 21, 1945. B-5, B-6, C-5, and C-6 each good for five gallons.

The Mileage Rationing Record must accompany application for supplemental gasoline.

(On receipt of 1945 license, draw light line through old number on Mileage Rationing Record and ration book cover, writing new number above. **Do not change old number on gas coupons,** since they will not be acceptable at service stations if altered.)

TIRES

Periodic passenger tire inspections have been discontinued. Periodic inspection on **truck tires** is required when applying for all tires.

PROCESSED FOODS

Book Four: Blue stamps X-5, Y-5, Z-5, and A-2 through G-2 valid for ten points each.

MEATS, FATS, AND OILS

Book Four: Red stamps Q-5 through X-5 valid for ten points each.

SUGAR

Book Four: Sugar stamp No. 34 good for five pounds.

SHOES

Book Three: Airplane stamps No. 1, No. 2, and No. 3 valid.

BUTTER

Creamery butter rationed at 24 red points per pound.

Twins' Birthday

Connie and Bonnie, the twin daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Lofton of House 284, celebrated their firth birthday January 25, with a party at their home.

Mumps Epidemic Still Spreading

The mumps epidemic which has been noted in San Rafael and San Anselmo during the past weeks is still on the rise, according to this week's report by the Marin Health Department which shows that during the past week eight cases were reported in San Anselmo, 21 in San Rafael and an additional three in the unincorporated area of the county.

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Judge Helmore Ill

Judge Paul Helmore was stricken with a heart attack last Friday evening while on his way home to Mill Valley, following a private meeting in Marin City.

He was taken to Ross Hospital where he is reported recovering.

Servicemen On Leave Eligible For Gas Stamp

Ration privileges of service personnel on furlough, including members of the merchant marine, for gas coupons and food points, were announced this week by Robert B. Parks, San Francisco district director of the Office of Price Administration.

Director Parks' explanation of service personnel privileges came in answer to numerous inquiries received at the OPA district office, as well as at local rationing boards.

Service men or women on bona fide leave or furlough, including the Merchant Marine, are entitled to a gallon of gas per day, up to a maximum of 30 gallons in 30 days. On food allowance, initial furlough privileges allow 10 blue points for processed foods and six red points for butter, meats and fats for each of the first nine meals. Local rationing boards will explain the further allowances, there being regulations governing the issue of sugar as well.

The allowances are not granted for personnel on pass or liberty leaves, and furlough papers must be presented to the ration boards.

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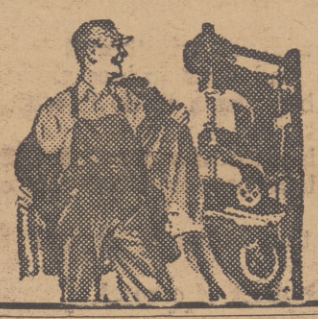

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Our Recreation Program

While we believe that the County Recreation Department has always tried, under a number of handicaps, to do a good job in Marin City, we are happy to acknowledge that in the last several months, its usefulness here has increased greatly.

Its activity has reached a new high, both in breadth and quality. The craft activity has been growing, the gym is active with happy youngsters five full nights each week. Attendance at all activities is bigger, order and behavior is better, and the youngsters are happier. The variety of things offered has widened. Instruction in tumbling and ball room dancing, tournaments, movies for adults, community singing and sewing are included in their enlarged program.

A large measure of credit should go to Lois Nelson, Marjorie Thompson and "Bennie" Bennefield for their hard work and excellent planning. In face of obstacles, they have kept high the spirit of "do and dare." Furthermore, they have taken a fine interest in our youngsters as individual personalities.

Much credit also is due particularly to our fellow residents Mr. Daniel Allen and Mr. and Mrs. Earl James for a long record of consistent and constant service, volunteered —free gratis.

Lincoln on Labor

It is assumed that labor is available only in connection with capital; that nobody labors unless somebody else, owning capital, somehow by the use of it, induces him to labor.

This assumed, it is next considered whether it is best that capital shall hire laborers, and thus induce them to work by their own consent, or buy them to do it without their consent.

Having proceeded so far, it is naturally concluded that all laborers are either hired laborers or what we call slaves.

Now, there is no such relation between capital and labor as here assumed.

Labor is prior to and independent of capital.

Capital is only the fruit of labor, could never have existed if labor had not existed first.

Labor is the superior of capital, and deserves much the higher consideration.

—Abraham Lincoln.

MIKE'S COLUMN

By MICHAEL B. SMITH

Many an honest union man in the course of the last several years has had occasion to take offense at the cheap jibes that Westbrook Pegler has aimed at Organized Labor. Many also unfortunately have found it necessary to admit with shame that some of the antics of a few of our big name labor leaders have not been easy to defend.

Too often the cause of genuine trade unionism has been made vulnerable to the thrusts of Pegler and the gang for whom he fulminates by a few of the misleaders of labor.

But even a Pegler or a Petrillo could not help being impressed by the sincerity and intelligence with which some of the local unions are striving to make the union something more to the average working man than a dues collecting agency. One example is the meeting held last Tuesday in our town.

A committee of shop stewards and business agents representing several crafts employed at Marinship, sponsors the first of a series of meetings which will be held throughout the coming year. The subject discussed was the cost of living. And the speakers were representatives of the OPA.

With less double talk than any one would believe possible in a government bureaucrat, these men presented a convincing argument for the necessity of organized working men and women participating in the fight against inflation. Unlike too many meetings, this one was both interesting and informative.

It looked pretty good to see a business agent preside at a meeting for no other reason than a genuine loyalty to decent conviction.

It was indeed heartening to see government employees working overtime without pay to explain their function to an audience of taxpayers.

Above all, it's encouraging to know that while Willie Bioff, Caesar Petrillo and others are mainly working for themselves at the expense of organized labor, there are others in the ranks who are working hard for all of us.

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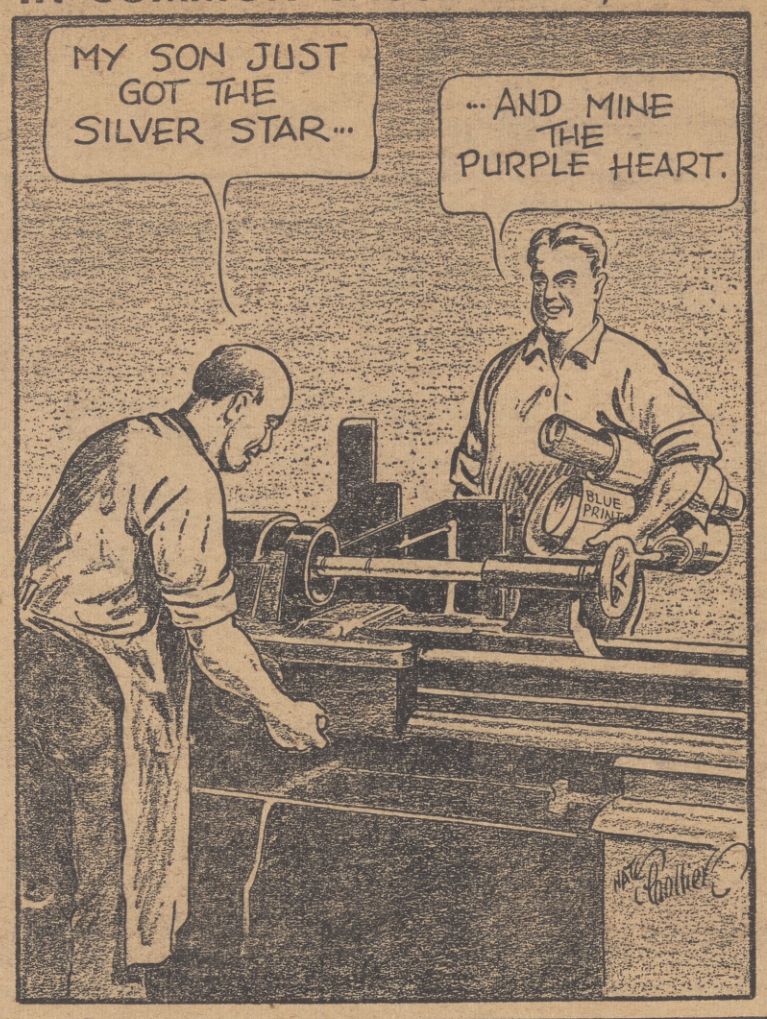

Letters to The Editor

EDITOR'S NOTE: Letters from Marin City people on any subject under the sun are welcome in these columns. Our only wish is that letters be kept to not more than 250 words, and that they be signed. We cannot print anonymous letters, although your name will be withheld if you request. Letters may be mailed to P. O. Box 997 or left in the news boxes at the rental office or market.

TO THE EDITOR:—

So many people have asked me about the Child Welfare Conference (or Well Baby Clinic, as it is sometimes incorrectly called), that I would like to explain our set-up.

The Conferences are sponsored by the County Public Health Service, and are for every child in Marin County under school age. In Marin City, the Conference meets every Wednesday morning from 9 to 11, and from now on will be in the Medical Center building, in the end nearest the Post Office.

The purpose of the Conference is to keep well children well. (We do not treat sick children at all.) As a preventive measure, children are vaccinated and immunized against diphtheria and whooping cough, free of charge. They are weighed and measured, and examined by the doctors to see that they are developing normally. A nutrition expert is on hand to check on children's diets, and to help with feeding problems. And there are books and pamphlets available on all sorts of questions concerning children's health.

The Conferences are managed by the Public Health nurses, and there are woman doctors in attendance, as well as volunteer helpers. Needless to say, more helpers are always needed, and there is plenty to do. So we say, if you have children under school age, come in anyway. You may be just the helper we are looking for!

Incidentally, the best thing to do is to come in the first time without your children. Then you can make an appointment for a definite time, and not have to wait so long.

**MRS. DANIEL ALLEN,
CHAIRMAN, VOLUNTEER WORKERS.**

DEAR EDITOR:—

I have read The Marin Citizen with its news and views, cynicism and criticism, and enjoy the various comments. But it seems to me that the attack on one or three deputies seems a little out of sorts. It doesn't appear probable to me that an officer who has served this city faithfully for over two years with an apparently clean record should so cruelly attack a mentally sick man.

I think that most everyone has had some contact with psychopathetic cases. A sick mind is in most cases, also, a cunning mind. When this man attacked the deputy, the deputy had to defend himself and I don't think that could be done by holding his hand.

You have heard when a man is drowning and you try to rescue his, he will be desperate and wil not listen to reason and might even be the cause for both going down. So in order to save the drowning man you have to overcome him first and then bring him in to safety.

I agree that it is too bad a county doesn't boast of a place where the mentally ill can be taken, also trained personnel to transport them.

**H. J. BUSHMAN,
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A Year Ago In Marin City

(From The Marin Citizen files of February 4, 1944.)

Waldo's Marin City Market was found guilty of OPA price violations and ordered to pay damages of $50 and court costs to each of six Marin City residents who brought charges against it. The decision was handed down by Judge Paul Helmore of Sausalito.

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In two Community House thefts, the Child Care Center lost $122 and the local library lost $10. In both cases, the theif scorned pennies, dimes and nickles.

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A new high in emergency appendectomy cases went through the Medical Center, when six members of the CPS cooperative insurance plan were given immediate doctor diagnosis, surgery and hospital care during January.

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Al Babcock was named chairman of the 4th War Loan Drive here.

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Electric ovens, 305 of them, were distributed to grateful apartment residents from a surprise consignment sent here by the Federal Public Housing Authority.

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First prize in a model airplane contest here went to John Anderson for the Vought-Sikorsky model which he entered. He was given an airplane model knife. The second prize—a model plane —went to Donald Garies for his Spitfire model.

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The contest for "Who has the most items in her purse" was a flat walkaway for Mrs. G. R. Hobson at a Woman's Club meeting last year. Her contest edge was gained from a collection of home state mementoes. Oddest item of any woman's purse possessions was a full bottle of ink.

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Marin City lost two of its most civic-minded citizens when the Malcolm Pendleys left town, she to return to their former home in Denver, and he to report for Army induction. A farewell party for them was given by the Day and Graveyard Civilian Defense organization.

Already over 21,000 negroes are receiving disability pensions from World War II.

Family Life

By Vox Populos

Supper was over, the dishes done, the kids in bed, when Si came in out of breath, more excited than I had ever seen him. He passed me a piece of paper. While I tried to read it, he poured out the following torrent of words: "Voiceless, it's time you and Emma sent a wire to the President. I've sent that wire myself. I've been calling around to various friends to get them to send wires also. Sit down and write one of your own. Then go to the pay phone and send it night letter Western Union; twenty-five words cost only sixty-five cents."

He rushed on. "This is critical. In placing Wallace's name in the Senate for confirmation, the President has started to make good his campaign promise of full employment after the war. Only a man like Wallace can carry it out. He's a great administrator and really qualified. He proved that when he administered the department of agriculture, which is one of the biggest businesses in the United States."

Si continued: "It will be disastrous if Wallace gets to be only Secretary of Commerce. That post is of minor importance. He needs to be Loan Administrator also. That means power to assist small business, and power over the use of the enormous plants built by government funds during the war. That would permit him to wield key influence in seeing to it that production after the war continues on a high level, that monopolies don't cut down production to scarcity levels as they've done before. Restricted production means high prices and wide-spread unemployment."

Si stopped, out of breath. Emma picked it up. 'Bully for you," she commanded.

"Now, Voiceles, you've been complaining that we ordinary people have no influence in things like this. But if all of us wire the President, it will count. Union members generally are doing it. The President needs our support. Here's paper and pencil. Get busy. No, I'll write it. You go see Jones and Smith and get them to send wires. Off with you."

I don't like being shoved around, but out I went, with Si's paper in my hand. However, as I half ran to Jones' place my spirits began to rise. "Yes, this is important," I whispered to myself. "And there's a satisfaction in doing something about it. Just grumbling to ourselves does not do any good. Emma, bless her! She's right as usual."

I stopped under the first street light (a rarity), and read Si's wire. This is what it said:

President Roosevelt, White House, Washington, D. C.

Request your full support of Wallace, both for Secretary Commerce and Loan Administrator Stop We believe his administration necessary for full post-war employment.
(Signed)
Cyrus and Mary Brown.